Passenger Facilities at Stations in Cuttack

2101 SHRI SRIKANTA JENA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state

(a) whether passenger facilities at Cuttack and adjoining Stations of Orissa are inadequate,

(b) if so the steps being taken in this regard alongwith the expenditure incurred on maintenance of Stations during the last three years, and

(c) the details of facilities provided at those stations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN (a) No, Sir

(b) Railways do not keep stationwise expenditure on maintenance

(c) The amenities provided at those stations include suitable platforms, waiting halls/cover over platforms, seating arrangements, drinking water facilities, booking windows etc

Development of Hospitals in Andhra Pradesh

2102 SHRI J CHOKKA RAO Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government of Andhra Pradesh has sent any proposal to the Union Government for the development of second level hospitals with the aid of World Bank, and

(b) if so, the stage at which the matter stands at present?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D.K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA: (a) and (b). A Project report for development of secondary level hospitals, 50 bedded T B hospital 10, base hospitals and one cyclone relief training centre in Andhra Pradesh at an estimated cost of Rs 236.70 crores was received by the Government for posing for World Bank assistance The State Government has been requested to revise the project on the basis of the comments received from the World Bank

[Translation]

Inclusion of Kabaddi in Asian Games

2103 SHRI BHAGWAN SHANKAR RAWAT Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state

(a) whether Kabaddi has been excluded from the Asian Games,

(b) whether Government are taking initiative for inclusion of Kabaddi again in the ensuring Asian Games and

(c) if so, the details of the steps taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY F HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT) (KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE) (a) A provisional list of events for 1994 Asian Games does not include Kabaddi

(b) and (c) As the disciplines of Asian Games are chosen by the host-country in consultation with the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) Government cannot interfere in

this regard. However, Indian Olympic Association is representing for inclusion of Kabaddi with OCA.

[*English*]

Wages of Handling Workers in Depots of FCI

2104. SHRI MRUTYUNJAYA NAYAK: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) whether the handling workers in some Depots of F.C.I. not paid the same wages as are paid to the departmental employees (workers), where contract system has been abolished;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the remedial measures proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) In depots where the contract labour system has been abolished under the Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970, the workers do not automatically become entitled to the same wages as are payable to the departmental workers of FCI

(c) In some of the depots in which contract labour system was abolished, FCI has entered into an agreement with the labour unions for introducing departmental system. In respect of other depots, the matter stands referred to the Ministry of Labour for further consideration.

Development of Railways in Kerala

2105. SHRI P.C. THOMAS: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the income of Southern Railway during the past three years, division-wise;

(b) the investment made for the development works of railways in the Southern zone; and

(c) the details of railway projects to be taken up during 1992-93 and 1993-94 in zonal railway covering Kerala?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN) (a) The account of income (Traffic Receipts) is not maintained division-wise. However, the figures for Southern Railway as a whole are given below:

(Amount in crores of Rs.)

1988-89	632.71
1989-90	710.24
1990-91	822.58

(b) *(Amount in crores of Rs.)*

1988-89	118.04
1989-90	134.39
1990-91	148.39

(c) No major project has been approved for 1992-93. Projects to be taken up in 1993-94 have not yet been finalised

Indira Gandhi Medical Institute, Patna

2106. SHRI RAM LAKHAN SINGH YADAV: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government propose to take over the Indira Gandhi Medical Institute in Patna;